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Shouldn't Effect Clay City.

The business men of Winchester have conspired to capture a large portion of the mountain trade by furnishing free transportation to customers from along the L. & E. R. R. This may work on some towns but there is no reason why it should injure trade with the merchants of Clay City, for our stores can furnish any article of goods required by the people and they sell them much cheaper than do the merchants of Winchester or any other competitive town. There is but one excuse for people leaving Clay City to do their trading and that is when people have the idea that the same goods are better when bought away from home and at a higher price, and in such instances vain imaginations cost dearly.

Marcum Damage Suit Continued.

The damage suit of Mrs. J. B. Marcum against the Hargises, French and Callahan for \$100,000 for the alleged conspiracy to kill her husband at Jackson last summer, was called in the Clark Circuit Court Tuesday and continued until the September term. Judge Hazelrigg has been added to the attorneys for the defense.

Wants Estate.

During a wedding ceremony in Ohio the groom dropped dead. The couple had joined hands and had acknowledged their vows but had not been pronounced man and wife by the officiating minister. The groom was very wealthy and the bride will take the matter to the courts to determine whether or not they were sufficiently married for her to heir his large estate.

Child Wedding.

One of the most remarkable weddings ever solemnized occurred recently at Sargent, Ky., near the Virginia line when little Johnny Adams, aged barely fourteen years, a school boy, was married to his cousin and school-mate Drucilla Adams, a child of eleven summers. They had learned to love each other and had made up the match while going to school together.

Recruiting Officer Here.

Wm. E. Carigan, Recruiting officer of the United States army, is here enlisting men for all branches of the army service. There is a special demand at advanced pay over privates, for

men of various trades, such as blacksmiths wood workmen, and etc. Any able bodied men of proper dimensions and requirements now have a good chance to get a permanent job.

Irvine Items.

[Irvine Herald.]

Quarterly meeting will be held at the Methodist Church the 3rd Sunday in May by Presiding Elder E. G. B. Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Williams have returned from Frankfort where they have been at the bedside of Mrs. Williams' father.

Stone W. Todd has been appointed a Jeffersonian guard at the St. Louis exposition and left to assume the duties of the position Saturday night.

A gasoline street lamp has been on exhibition for several nights and the town trustees are considering the advisability of lighting the town. The lamp is two thousand candle-power and appears to give a better light than an arc lamp. Five or six of these would serve sufficiently to light the whole town. The expense of running them is about ten cents a lamp per night, and Mr. W. A. Little, the agent, proposes to put them in for \$35 each.

Sage.

Willie Hedger has measles.

Andy Willoughby is improving.

Bobt. Blackburn of Stanton, passed through here Thursday.

Andy Wills, of Spencer, is spending a few days this week with his father, L. G. Wills.

Mr. and Mrs. Isom Osborn visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Wills Sunday.

Mrs. Sally Ellen Faulkner, of Spencer, paid a visit to her many friends in this section last week.

On last Wednesday Floyd Wills killed an eagle measuring five feet and six inches from tip end of wings.

During the absence from home of Mrs. Jim Wills, two of her children, boy and girl, age 8 and 10 years, slipped up stairs and drank one half gallon of whiskey. They lay speechless all day, but both recovered by next morning.

North Bend.

Mrs. P. H. Ewen was a visitor at Stanton Monday.

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Thos. Welch was at Rosslyn Saturday on business.

R. C. Welch has just recovered from the measles.

C. C. Ewen transacted business at Clay City Monday.

P. H. Ewen was at Rosslyn on business the first of the week.

Chas. Welch, of Hardwick's Creek, was in the Bend Sunday.

Miss Minnie Ewen, of Slade, visited P. H. Ewen and family one day last week.

"Blue Boy" will receive subscriptions for the Clay City Times Only 50 cents a year.

The work on the North Bend church is progressing nicely and will soon be completed.

Miss Maud Ewen, daughter of B. J. Ewen, of Jackson, visited P. H. Ewen and family last week.

C. C. Ewen returned home last week from Ohio where he has been employed by a portrait company.

The New Dominion Oil & Gas Company placed last week a complete drilling outfit on the farm of Wingate Anderson.

The base ball game here Sunday between the North Bend team and the Bowen team resulted in a victory for the home team by a score of 10 to 8.

Well there has been one more Fiscal Court passed and no bridge has been built yet. What becomes of the taxes that the hard working people of Powell county pay?

There has been 15 cases of measles in the Bend and no deaths up the present time and all victims are able to be out except Miss Annie Welch who is very sick.

C. C. Fletcher purchased a boundary of hickory timber from Wingate Anderson for \$250. The timber will be manufactured into buggy rims and shipped to a firm in Ohio.

Snow Creek.

Gone is winter—welcome is spring.

Greely Snowden's family are all sick with measles.

Several from here attended court at Stanton Monday.

Rev. Culton, of Richmond, will preach at Log Lick next Saturday and Sunday.

Thos. Ogden Jr. attended the Republican Convention at Mt. Sterling Monday.

The Rev. Prather, of Richmond, has been called to preach at Log Lick by the Christian church.

Miss Callie Wills entertained a number of her young friends Saturday night with a social. All had an enjoyable time.

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